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SUBJECT: HARA- SMENT US RESEARCH VESSEL

1. ON 7 AND 8 MARCH VESSELS OF PERUVIAN NAVY HAVE BOARD-
ED RESEARCH VESSEL KANA KEOKI. UNIV. OF HAWAII TRYING
TO OBTAIN VESSEL NAMES. ON FIRST OCCASION PERU NAVY
OFFICIAL SAID HE WOULD NOTIFY OTHER UNITS THAT ALL WAS
WELL. ON FOLLOWING DAY KANA KEOKI BOARDED AGAIN BY
DIFFERENT VESSEL. THIS VESSEL HAD CUT IMMEDIATELY ACROSS
KANA KEOKI'S BOW AT HIGH SPEED FORCING THEM TO BACK DOWN
HARD. ASIDE FROM OBVIOUS SAFETY QUESTION, THE KANA KEOKI
TOWS A GREAT DEAL OF EXPENSIVE EQUIPMENT (MAGNETOMETER,
HYDROPHONE ARRAY, AIR GUN) WHICH MIGHT BE EASILY DAMAGED
DURING SUCH A MANUEVER.

2. HAWAII HAS ASKED CONTACTS AT GEOPHYSICAL INSTITUTE
TO TRY TO OBTAIN INFORMATION.

3. ACTION: INVESTIGATE INCIDENTS AND REPORT. IF
INCIDENTS VERIFIED, MAKE LOW KEY REPRESENTATIONS NOTING
VESSEL CLEARED FOR RESEARCH OPERATIONS BY GOP, DANGER TO
SAFETY OF VESSEL AND CREW, AND CUTTING ACROSS BOWS IN
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